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**INDIANA WOMAN PLEADS GUILTY TO TRANSPORTING
CHILD PORNOGRAPHY**

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, and Assistant Attorney General Alice S. Fisher of the Criminal Division of the United States Department of Justice, announced that SHEILA L. SELLINGER, age 34, formerly of Rt. 1, Box 105, in Shoals, Indiana pleaded guilty on June 22, 2006 to one count of distributing of child pornography. SELLINGER'S plea resulted from an investigation by the Martin County Police Department, the Indiana State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

The Information filed with SELLINGER'S plea agreement alleges that between October 1, 2004 and February 4, 2005, SELLINGER transported and shipped visual depictions of a minor engaging in sexually explicit conduct in interstate or foreign commerce by means of a computer and the Internet.

SELLINGER faces a possible prison sentence between the mandatory minimum of 5 years and the 20 year maximum sentence for distributing child pornography, plus a fine of up to \$250,000.

The case is being prosecuted by Jill Trumbull-Harris, Trial Attorney for the Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section of the Department of Justice and Todd Shellenbarger, Assistant United States Attorney in the Southern District of Indiana.